

REMARKS

Claims 31, 33, 35, 37, 38, 40, 42 and 44, and 46-49 are presented for consideration, with Claims 31, 35, 38 and 42 being independent.

Initially, Applicant respectfully wishes to thank the Examiner for the courtesy extended toward his representative during the personal interview of June 29, 2005. The interview focused primarily on independent Claim 1 and U.S. Patent No. 6,137,490, to Shishido.

As will be appreciated, Claim 31 has been amended in the manner discussed at the interview and, as discussed in additional detail below, is submitted to contain features not taught or suggested in the cited art. The remaining independent claims, i.e., Claims 35, 38 and 42, have been amended in the same manner as Claim 31.

Claims 31, 33-35, 37, 38, 40-42, 44 and 45 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103 as allegedly being obvious over Shishido '490 in view of Johnson '204. This rejection is respectfully traversed.

Representative Claim 31 relates to a display device capable of displaying first and second windows on a display screen, and includes first receiving means for receiving first image data for displaying a moving image and second receiving means for receiving second image data for displaying a second image. As amended, Claim 31 includes storing means for, in a state that the second window is an active window, storing third image data for displaying only selected frames which are part of frames of the moving image, wherein data of the first image data corresponding to unselected frames of the moving images are decimated, and displaying means for displaying the second window on which the second image is formed and for displaying the first window on which the selected frames are formed, with the unselected frames not being formed on the first window.

Support for the claim amendments can be found, for example, on page 14, line 22, *et seq.*, of the specification.

As discussed at the personal interview, Shishido relates to a computer system capable of changing the luminance of an active CRT to be different from that of an inactive CRT. As shown in Figure 1, an inputting unit, such as a keyboard, 1 inputs data to be displayed on a CRT 2 or a CRT 3.

In contrast to Claim 31 of Applicant's invention, however, it is respectfully submitted that Shishido fails to teach or suggest, among other features, storing means for, when the second window is an active window, storing third image data for displaying only selected frames which are part of frames of a moving image, with data of a first image data corresponding to unselected frames of the moving images being decimated. In addition, the second window on which the second image is formed is displayed and the first window on which the selected frames are formed is displayed, wherein the unselected frames are not formed on the first window. Shishido does not teach or suggest storing image data and displaying first and second windows in this manner.

The secondary citation to Johnson relates to a system operable with, for example, a DVD source. As shown in Figure 5, a first video source 502 and a second video source 504 provide data to a subsystem 415. The subsystem includes a processor unit and a storage unit, as well as a communication port for enabling communication with a network 420 (see Figure 4). Johnson fails, however, to compensate for the deficiencies in Shishido as discussed above with respect to independent Claim 31.

Independent Claims 35, 38 and 42 have been amended along the same general lines as Claim 31. These claims are thus also submitted to be patentable over the cited art for the reasons discussed above.

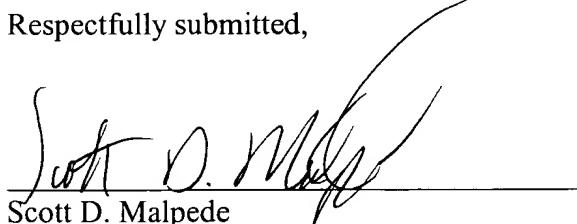
Accordingly, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection of the claims under 35 U.S.C. §103 is respectfully requested.

Therefore, it is submitted that Applicant's invention as set forth in independent Claims 31, 35, 38 and 42 is patentable over the cited art. In addition, dependent Claims 33, 37, 40, 44 and 46-49 set forth additional features of Applicant's invention. Independent consideration of the dependent claims is respectfully requested.

Due consideration and prompt passage to issue are respectfully requested.

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